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## TITLE

Device for transporting a horizontal stack positioned on a support and formed in a gathering machine with upright, lined-up signatures

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